

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV  
TO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS IMMEDIATE  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 9820  
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AMCONSUL JERUSALEM

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BRUSSELS FOR USDEL SECRETARY

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP (VANCE, CYRUS R)

SUBJECT: SECVISIT: PROPOSED ARRIVAL STATEMENT

1. EMBASSY BELIEVES A BRIEF ARRIVAL STATEMENT BY THE  
SECRETARY WOULD BE APPROPRIATE, FOLLOWING GREETINGS FROM  
FOREIGN MINISTER DAYAN. PROPOSED STATEMENT FOLLOWS:

2. BEGIN TEXT: IT IS A PLEASURE FOR ME AND MY  
COLLEAGUES TO BE ABLE TO VISIT ISRAEL AGAIN. I AM LOOKING  
FORWARD TO DISCUSSIONS HERE WITH ISRAELI LEADERS  
ABOUT DEVELOPMENTS IN THE MIDDLE EAST SINCE MY LAST VISIT  
IN AUGUST.

3. PRESIDENT CARTER HAS FROM THE BEGINNING OF HIS ADMIN-  
ISTRATION ATTEMPTED TO ENCOURAGE THE PARTIES INVOLVED IN  
THE MIDDLE EAST CONFLICT TO TALK TO EACH OTHER DIRECTLY.  
PRESIDENT SADAT AND PRIME MINISTER BEGIN HAVE DRAMATICALLY  
BEGUN THIS PROCESS.

4. DURING MY TALKS HERE IN ISRAEL, I WILL BE EXPRESSING  
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THE FULL SUPPORT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THESE NEW  
INITIATIVES, WHICH ARE CONSISTENT WITH OUR OWN DEDI-  
CATION TO SEEKING A COMPREHENSIVE MIDDLE EAST PEACE  
SETTLEMENT. I BRING RENEWED ASSURANCES THAT THE UNITED  
STATES, IN OUR RELATIONSHIPS WITH VARIOUS GOVERNMENTS  
INVOLVED, IS READY TO WORK WITH THEM IN THE CONTINUING  
SEARCH FOR A FINAL SETTLEMENT.

5. THE UNITED STATES REMAINS DEEPLY COMMITTED TO THE  
SECURITY OF ISRAEL. I BELIEVE THERE IS REASON TO BE  
HOPEFUL ABOUT THE PROSPECT FOR PEACE, A JUST PEACE  
WHICH COULD BRING LASTING SECURITY NOT ONLY TO ISRAEL  
BUT TO THE ENTIRE REGION. END TEXT.  
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